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The number of steerage passengers embarked was 1,415; at the final inspection 17 were rejected:

The number of pieces of baggage disinfected was 153.

The Cunard steamship Slavonia left this port on April 15, bound for New York, via Fiume and Palermo.

The number of steerage passengers embarked was 68; at the final inspection 10 were rejected.

The baggage of all the emigrants, consisting of 52 pieces, was disinfected.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

Report from Belize, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Carson reports as follows: Week ended April 27, 1905. Present officially estimated population, 8,500; number of deaths, 7; prevailing diseases, mild type of malarial fever and influenza; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, fairly good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
22	Olympia Belize B. Frank Nealley.	18	5 4 0	13 13 0	0 0

CANADA.

Report from St. John, New Brunswick—Inspection of immigrants.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Billings reports as follows: Month of April, 1905. Number of immigrants inspected, 629; number passed, 622; number certified for rejection, 7; none certified for dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases.

Report from Vancouver, British Columbia—Inspection of immigrants.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Riggs reports as follows: Month of April, 1905. Number of immigrants inspected, 255; number passed, 251; number certified for rejection on account of dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases, 4.

CHINA.

Report from Hongkong—Inspection and fumigation of vessels— Quarantinable diseases—Emigrants recommended for rejection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon White reports, March 24 and April 3, as follows:

Precautions taken at Hongkong during the months of January, February, and March, 1905, for the protection of the public health of the United States, the Insular Territory, and the Republic of Panama.

Vessels inspected and granted bills of health	94
Vessels on which variola was found at inspection	2
Vessels fumigated to kill vermin	4
Vessels disinfected on account of variola	2